

COUNTY ELECTIONS.

ADDITIONAL RETURNS FROM THE CONTESTS OF THURSDAY.

THE FIGHT IN DINWIDDIE COUNTY.

A Very Close Vote for Treasurer—Irregularities at Six Precincts—Commissioners Adjourn the Work of Canvassing.

Below we give additional returns from the county and town elections in Virginia Thursday:

PETERSBURG, VA., May 27.—(Special.) The Commissioners of Election for Dinwiddie county met today to canvass the returns of Thursday's election and were in session for some hours. The returns from nine precincts were passed upon as regular and correct, but there were more or less irregularities in the returns from the other six precincts, which the commissioners decided not to pass upon until the judges and clerks could be summoned before them. The face of the complete returns from the county give S. Y. Gilliam (Independent Republican) a majority of 27 over John Y. Harris (Democrat) for Treasurer.

Irregularities in some of the precincts, returns from one of the precincts, which gives Gilliam a majority, are not signed by either the judges or clerks. Without this precinct Harris would have a majority of 4 in the county. On the acceptance of rejection of the returns from this precinct, so manifestly informal, a vigorous fight will be made before the commissioners. Mr. Gilliam was represented before the commissioners by Mr. Charles Hall Davis, of this city. At the request of friends of Mr. Harris, the commissioners agreed to adjourn over until next Tuesday to finish their canvass and to allow Mr. Harris to make a statement in support of his claim. It is understood that he will secure Hon. William R. McKeeney. It is expected the contest before the commissioners on Tuesday will be an exceedingly lively and interesting one.

Amelia. Amelia Courthouse: A great deal of interest was shown in the election of Thursday. The following officers were elected: Commonwealth's Attorney, R. G. Southall (no opposition); Clerk of County and Circuit Courts, E. H. Coleman (no opposition); Commissioner of Revenue, C. R. Irving (no opposition); Treasurer, G. E. Taylor (no opposition); Commonwealth's Attorney, E. E. Coleman (no opposition). The old Board of Supervisors were re-elected.

Goodland. At the election held on May 25th the following county officers were elected in Goodland county: William Miller, Clerk of County and Circuit Courts; George W. Taylor, Treasurer; J. C. Goodman, Commissioner of Revenue; W. M. Crouch, Sheriff; all Democrats.

Windsor. The Democrats elected every one of the county officers and all the district officers, except Supervisor in Windsor District. We only have one Republican officer in this county.

King William. King William Courthouse: R. C. Garrett's majority for Clerk, 881; R. J. Palmer's for Treasurer, 441; T. D. Moncreaf, for Sheriff, 701; E. H. Coleman, for Commissioner of Revenue, 25; H. I. Lewis, for Commonwealth's Attorney (no opposition), received 1,379 votes.

Lunenburg. The official election returns of Lunenburg are as follows: For Commonwealth's Attorney, P. H. Sweet (Democrat), re-elected; Treasurer, R. L. Gregory by 132 majority; R. C. Apperson (Democrat), elected over W. F. Woodward, Sheriff, by 196 majority; W. N. F. Jones (Democrat), elected Commissioner of the Revenue by 24 majority. The township officers are nearly all Democrats.

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system, however strong it may have been among the people of the various States has never been so effective as it has been until within the past few weeks. The 10th instant a large and representative body of Democrats met in Richmond to consider the submission of the election of senators to popular vote. Resolutions were adopted declaring in favor of an amendment of the Federal Constitution, permitting United States senators to be elected by the direct vote of the people of the several States. Instead of by the legislatures thereof. Until the Constitution is so amended it is proposed that Democrats cannot be nominated at State primary elections legalized by the General Assembly.

This movement on the part of Virginia Democrats is attracting attention throughout the country. A committee of twenty is to form the nucleus of the senatorial election reform. This committee, when appointed, will establish a bureau, which, upon application, will open correspondence with Democratic leaders in all parts of the country seeking to enlist their co-operation in the reform sought to be accomplished.

ON TRACK AND FIELD. Intercollegiate Games—Championship Honors Still in Pennsylvania. NEW YORK, May 27.—The intercollegiate games on track and field, which were concluded this afternoon, at Manhattan Field, were highly successful, and the championship honors remain in Pennsylvania. The Blue and Red winning nine of the thirteen events.

One-mile run—Won by a wonderful athlete. He simply rolled over the high and low hurdles, and won easily in each event. He clipped one fifth of a second off the intercollegiate record, made by himself, but just before the start of the race he was outclassed by his performance in the running broad jump. In this event he established a world's record of 21 feet 4 1/2 inches.

J. W. H. Tewkesbury, from the same college, won the sprint in faultless style, and while he did not go within 2 1/2 of a second of Weaver's record, he outclassed all the other contestants just as handsily as did the Georgetown flyer in former years. Summary: 100-yard dash—Won by J. W. Tewkesbury, Princeton, Time, 10 seconds. Two-mile run—Won by Alexander Grant, Pennsylvania; second, E. A. Macdonald, Pennsylvania; third, J. P. Cregan, Princeton; fourth, John Bray, Williams. Time, 14 minutes 25 1/2 seconds.

400-yard run—Won by W. M. Long, Columbia; second, T. R. Fisher, Yale, Time, 6:25. This just beats the intercollegiate record, which was 49:12 seconds. 120-yard hurdle—Won by A. C. Kraenzlein, Pennsylvania; second, F. Z. Fox, Harvard. Time, 12:25 seconds, beating previous intercollegiate record by 1 1/2 of a second.

220-yard run—Won by J. W. B. Tewkesbury, Pennsylvania; second, D. Boardman, Yale. Time, 2:35 seconds. Putting the shot—Won by J. McCracken, Princeton, Time, 42 feet 1 1/2 inch; second, E. T. Glass, Syracuse.

Throwing the 16-pound hammer—Won by J. C. McCracken, Pennsylvania—44 feet 1 inch; second, T. T. Hare, Pennsylvania. Time, 1:38 1/2. Half-mile run—Won by T. E. Burke, Harvard; second, Alexander Grant, Pennsylvania. Time, 1:38 1/2.

220-yard hurdle—Won by A. C. Kraenzlein, Pennsylvania; second, W. G. Moore, Harvard. Time, 2:45 seconds. Pole vault—Won by R. C. Clapp, Yale—height, 11 feet 5 inches; R. Johnson, Yale, and E. A. Kinsle, Cornell, tied—11 feet 1 inch.

Running high jump—Won by J. I. Baxter, Pennsylvania—6 feet 2 inches; second, A. N. Rice, Harvard.

Running broad jump—Won by Kraenzlein, Pennsylvania—24 feet 1 1/2 inches; second, J. C. McCracken, Princeton. Score by points: Pennsylvania, 57; Harvard, 23; Yale, 22 1/2; Princeton, 11; Syracuse, 10; Cornell, 5; Columbia, 5; Williams, 3; Georgetown, 1; Haverford, 1-2. Total, 113.

ILL OVER THE DEGREE. When About to Confer the Thirty-Second, Past Grand Master Gave Up. (New York Times—25th.) All day yesterday James H. Durand, Past Grand Master of Masons of the State of New Jersey, watched by his faithful wife, lay between life and death on a cot in the City Hospital, Jersey City. He was unconscious and his wife pleaded with him to speak to her.

From the time Mr. Durand was stricken in Foye Hall, Tuesday night, where he was conducting exercises, attending the initiation into the thirty-second degree of Governor Voorhees; Congressman Charles N. Fowler, of Elizabeth, and Congressman William D. Daly, of Hoboken, and thirty or forty other persons, up to a last hour last night he did not utter a word. At the hospital the physicians said there was small hope of his recovery.

Foye Hall, at Foye Place and Bergen street, was crowded with the candidates and Masons from all over the State. Past-Master Durand occupied the chair. He was about to confer the chivalric degree when he became ill.

He could go on, he said, and calling a brother Mason to the chair he went into an ante-room. Several physicians said he was suffering from apoplexy, and an ambulance took him to the hospital.

His wife was summoned from her home, in Rahway.

EX-PRESIDENT HARRISON IN PARIS He Has a Pleasant Interview With President Loubet.

PARIS, May 27.—Former President Harrison, accompanied by General Horace Porter, United States Ambassador, this morning had an interview last twenty minutes with M. Delcasse, Minister of Foreign Affairs. The interview was of the most cordial character. This evening Mr. Harrison and Ambassador Porter, accompanied by President Loubet, after a ceremonious introduction, the former and the actual President dropped all formality and conversed in the most friendly manner upon topics of interest to both countries.

Regarding the peace conference, Mr. Harrison said to an Associated Press reporter that he thought the principal object for which it had been called would not be attained, but that some form of agreement, or a certain kind of accommodation, would be the outcome of the meeting.

Ex-President and Mrs. Harrison have accepted an invitation to the parliamentary banquet to be given by President Loubet Monday next.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Williams (AMUSEMENTS.)

MAY BALL. THE EIGHTH ANNUAL FLORA MAY BALL, of Mrs. Russell and Flanagan will take place MONDAY NIGHT, May 29, 1899, at 8:20 o'clock, at Monticello Hall. Former pupils invited to attend. Invitations presented at door. my 28-1

LE STATAIRE VIVANT CLUB. AT LE STATAIRE VIVANT CLUB, BROAD AND NINTH STREETS, PHILADELPHIA, June 24, under auspices Ladies' Aid Society, Immanuel Baptist church, Admission, 50c; children, 25c. my 28-Sun&F2t

Friend to Friend. It is not what newspapers say, but what neighbor says to neighbor or friend to friend, that has brought Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy into such general use. It is as natural for people to express their gratitude after using this remedy as it is for water to flow down hill. It is the one remedy that can always be depended upon whether it be a baby sick with cholera infantum or a man with cholera morbus. It is pleasant, safe, and reliable. Have you a bottle of it in your home? For sale by all druggists.

RACE AGAINST RACE.

MACARTHUR PROPOSES TO ENLIST MACABEES AGAINST TAGALS.

VOLUNTEERS INVITED TO RE-ENLIST.

Major Diggle, of the Thirtieth Minnesota Regiment, Who Was Wounded May 8th, Dies—Other Philippine Island Items.

MANILA, May 27.—P. M.—General MacArthur is in favor of the experiment of enlisting the Macabebes against their old enemies, the Tagals. A delegation of the leading Macabebes has visited the General, and its spokesman read an address assuring the American commander of the friendship of the Macabebes and of their willingness to transfer their allegiance from Spain to the United States. They complained that the Tagals murdered them and burned their villages, and they asked to be protected and given arms to protect themselves.

The Macabebes have greatly assisted in posting the Americans on the country and the positions of the enemy.

WOULD TRY A HUNDRED. General MacArthur would arm a hundred of the Macabebes with revolvers, and if the experiment proved successful he would enlist more of them.

Major-General Otis has issued orders inviting volunteers to re-enlist for six months, according to the act of Congress bearing on the matter.

RECRUITS ARRIVE. The United States transport Morgan City, which left San Francisco April 25th, with 600 recruits for various regiments here on board, has arrived, and will proceed to Manila.

Major A. M. Diggle, of the Thirtieth Minnesota Regiment, who was wounded in the head while reconnoitering May 8th at a point near San Miguel, and who was brought to a hospital here, is dead.

MILEY COLLECTOR OF PORT. Colonel D. Miley, of General Lawton's staff, has been appointed collector of the port of Manila.

SPANISH TROOPS REACH MANILA. MANILA, May 27.—10:35 A. M.—The Spanish steamer Leon XIII, landed the Twenty-third Regiment of United States regulars on the Island of Jolo and took on board the Spanish soldiers, the Americans paying the Spaniards the usual honor.

The steamer then proceeded to Zamboanga, where it will disembark the troops there were embarked on the Leon XIII, the Puerto Rico, the Uranis, and the Dos Hermanos, the three vessels last sailing for Spain. The insurgents agreed to molest the Spaniards during the evacuation.

The Leon XIII, entered Manila harbor last evening, with flags flying at half-mast, in honor of General Lawton, who died on the passage from wounds received in a recent engagement with the Filipinos in Mindanao, and with the garlands, the officers, and their families on board.

The insurgents, it is reported, were in possession of Zamboanga when the Spaniards left, and it will be necessary for the Americans to recapture that place.

FURTHER SPANISH EVACUATIONS. WASHINGTON, May 27.—The following dispatch has been received at the Navy Department:

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BUCK'S STEEL KANGAROS, regular price \$55; now they go at

\$38.50

LARGE VELOUR Couches, eighteen Springs, were \$77; now

\$4.50

Solid Oak Selt, 24x 30 Mirror, was \$25; now

\$14.98

No. 7 Cook Stove, sold at \$10; now

\$5.25

Large Gilt Frame 31x39 plates, 45x 60, was \$65; now

\$43.50

Solid Oak Ward-robe, 4x6 wide, 8 feet high, \$17; we will let them go at

\$12.00

Good Family Sewing Machine, sold at \$15; we have a few left, now

\$15.00

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